

## TURN DOWN THE BRITISH FLAG

Methodists Will Not Hang it With Stars and Stripes.

## NO SECTARIAN MONEY

Two Out of Three Reports on Bishopric Question are Adopted Today.

## HARD FIGHT IN COMMITTEE

Chicago, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—The Methodist conference this morning again turned down an effort to display the flag of Great Britain on the platform alongside of the stars and stripes. The motion was made by Rev. Mr. Handley of New Jersey, who called attention to the help England had given the American missionaries.

An appeal to the government to prevent any more money from being paid out for sectarian purposes in the education of Indians was adopted.

Three reports on the bishopric question were presented. First, that the missionary bishops, Thoburn and Hartzell be effective, and remain on duty; second, favoring the election of a bishop of African descent; the third proposition was for the election of but two additional bishops, on which a warm debate is progressing at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The third proposition was also adopted, and a ballot for the election of two bishops was begun. The conference adjourned before a count was made. It takes two-thirds to elect. Dr. J. W. Hamilton, secretary of the Freedmen's Aid of Cincinnati, is conceded to have decided plurality. Another high-up was Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, colored, who will surely be one of the two chosen.

## NEW WORK FOR THE BISHOPS

Wrangling Over the Number of Bishops in the Committee.

Chicago, May 15.—The general conference of Methodists has been placed much at sea. The committee on Episcopacy developed a three-cornered fight, and did not agree on the number of bishops to be elected. It adopted the report of the subcommittee recommending that two bishops be chosen, but Gov. Shaw secured a large number of signers for a minority report recommending that no bishops be elected this year. Robert Forbes, strongly backed by the colored delegates, has another minority report favoring the election of four bishops. The choice between these reports must be made by the conference. The committee adopted no report on missionary bishops. The balloting for bishops is being delayed by these fights.

The committee on Episcopacy showed a large number of delegates not particularly interested in any candidate, disposed to accept the report of the subcommittee that two bishops should be elected. The arguments in favor of two bishops are that the board in the next four years will need that amount of additional strength. The arguments of those favoring no elections were that the present bishops have time for work outside of official duties and that the church should not be burdened with needless expense. Those who favor four bishops believe that four of the present board will be, come ineffective during the next quadrennium, and include those who believe the colored people should be given a bishop of their own race.

Nathan B. Wharton of Ashland, Wis., made one of the most stirring speeches in the committee on episcopacy. "It is not more bishops we need," he said, "but more service for the bishops. We have no means of knowing how the bishops put in all their time. We hear a cry for more bishops from the east, not from the west. We want the bishops in our districts occasionally. We had one last year, and we paid him \$75 in order to see him."

Matthew H. Marvin of Columbia River conference said the church had made the mistake of placing the bishops in great centers, where the pastors can supply the needs, and that it is in the new and growing country that bishops are needed.

The final vote on the report for two bishops carried—143 for, 63 against. By a vote of 82 to 21 the committee on itinerancy decided to recommend removal of the time limit of pastors.

In the conference session a resolution was adopted that 129 delegates be elected to the ecumenical council in London in 1901.

## Fire on Paris Exposition Grounds.

Paris, May 15.—[Special Cablegram]—Fire destroyed the electric installation of the Chateau d'Eau on the exposition grounds today.

## LILUOKALANI IS GOING HOME

Former Hawaiian Queen Has a Poor Opinion of the United States.

Washington, May 15.—Former Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii, started westward today leaving Chicago at 10:50 o'clock this morning. She went by way of the Pennsylvania railway to Chicago and thence to the Pacific coast.

The former queen will sail on the 30th for Honolulu. With her is a rather large entourage, consisting of five servants and a few personal friends. Queen Liliuokalani has been in Washington for over two years and has lived in the best style here, keeping up an elegant establishment. She takes back with her among other things, two automobiles of the latest pattern.

She will never return to the United States again, and leaves this country with a rather poor opinion of it, chiefly because congress did not vote a matter of \$250,000 to her support.

## CLARK OF MONTANA HAS RESIGNED

Reads a Speech in the Senate This Afternoon Announcing That as His Course.

Washington, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—At the close of routine business in the senate Clark of Montana arose to a question of personal privilege and the buzz of conversation at once ceased. When recognized he commenced to read a long typewritten speech saying in the course of his remarks that he had concluded to tender his resignation on his own responsibility.

## DIRECTOR RATHBONE HAS BEEN LET OUT

Joseph I. Bristow in Charge of United States Postal Affairs in Is. land of Cuba.

Washington, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—Lester G. Rathbone director of posts in Cuba has been temporarily relieved, and Joseph I. Bristow, fourth assistant postmaster general, has been ordered to assume the duties. Gen. Smith says the funds of Porto Rico and the Philippines are intact. The arrest of Postmaster Thompson at Havana was a sad blow to the Indiana colony here who have been held in high esteem.

## WIND BLOWS A HURRICANE

Some Damage by a Storm Near Merrill, Wis., Last Night.

Merrill, Wis., May 15.—[Special Telegram]—The wind blew a hurricane through this section last night. Slight damage resulted here, but at Brokaw the wind was so strong that several box cars were blown from the siding onto the main track. When the north-bound passenger came through the train collided with the cars. No one was injured, but the cab was torn, from the engine and the back of the baggage car was completely demolished.

## MEASURE HELD VALID.

Supreme Court Declares Inheritance Tax Constitutional.

Chicago, May 15.—In deciding today that the inheritance tax law was constitutional and valid and that it applied to the legacy and not to the estate as a whole, the United States Supreme Court made Uncle Sam a present of about \$60,000,000. The decision was handed down in a test case brought by Abram M. Pence, George A. Carpenter and Shirley T. High, counsel for the appellants, Shirley T. High, et al, in a suit which sought to restrain the collection of war revenue tax on the estate of the late James L. High by Revenue Collector Frank E. Coyne. Millions of dollars collected by the government officials during the last twenty-one months remained tied up in the United States treasury vaults awaiting this decision of the highest court in the land on the constitutionality of the special inheritance law raised by the Chicago law firm. In addition to this large sum there is due several million dollars from estates which declined to pay until the right to levy taxes as taken by congress was passed upon by the Supreme Court.

## BIG PARADE IN KNOXVILLE.

Admiral Dewey Entertained in the Southern City.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 15.—After a day of rest from festivities, Admiral and Mrs. Dewey and party, who are now the guests of the city near which Farragut was born in 1801, appeared in a grand parade this morning. It was participated in by the militia of East Tennessee, secret societies, labor organizations, city officials and members of various professions, and many handsome floats were to be seen. At the court house Admiral Dewey reviewed the parade and later was introduced by W. B. Lockett, president of the chamber of commerce, when Mayor S. G. Helskell extended to him a formal welcome to the city. Admiral Dewey's reply was brief. Admiral and Mrs. Dewey made a tour of the schools and colleges of the city, where they received ovations. Tonight a public reception was held in the Woman's building, after which there was a banquet.

## ENGINEERS WANT TO WEAR GLASSES

PROVIDING GLASSES MAKE THEIR EYESIGHT NORMAL.

Summary Expulsion For Engineers Caught Under the Influence of Liquor Steps to Do Away With the Age Limit—Auxiliary Women Talk Insurance.

Milwaukee, May 15.—At yesterday afternoon's session of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers the grand chief engineer was instructed to request the management of the Mexican Central railway to raise the boycott against Brotherhood engineers. Chief Arthur said he could have raised the boycott years ago, but while he was in the City of Mexico trying to do so an unauthorized strike on the Inter-Oceanic road was precipitated, which created a prejudice that he could not overcome.

## Enabling Use of Glasses.

A resolution was also adopted in structing the grand officers to use their best endeavors with the congress of the United States to have a law enacted to allow locomotive engineers to wear glasses while on duty, providing the glasses make their eyesight normal.

A resolution was presented and referred providing that members of the Brotherhood shall not be allowed to join any other labor organization except the Order of Steam Engineers, but the grand chief may grant a permit to a Brotherhood member to join another organization provided he is not in active service as a locomotive engineer.

There was also referred a resolution providing that when charges were preferred against a member for being drunk there should be a committee appointed and if the charges were sustained he should be expelled without further trial.

The grand officers are sought to be instructed to take steps to do away with the age limit that has been adopted by some companies, and to make as good terms with the companies as possible in regard to physical eyesight examinations. The engineers claim that the practice of examining the eyes of engineers is being abused.

## Auxiliary Talks Insurance

The Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers devoted all of yesterday to the consideration of the business connected with the insurance department, which will also be up for consideration again this morning.

An effort will be made to finish up the business of the auxiliary by Saturday if possible, and if this can be done the convention will adjourn. The place for holding the next convention will depend on the selection of a city made by the Brotherhood. The election of officers will be held Saturday.

## DEATHS FROM THE HEAT.

Great Suffering in New York and Chicago.

Chicago, May 15.—Midsummer heat has prevailed here for two days. The temperature reached 86 degrees, and the sufferings in crowded tenement districts has been great.

Two deaths and several prostrations was the record made by the heat. The dead are Peter Schmidt aged 40, and Alexander Boost, 56 years old. William Enders of Des Moines, Iowa, was prostrated as he stepped from his train at the Rock Island depot, but was able to continue his journey.

New York, May 15.—New York has been broiling under an August sun. Suffering was intense in all parts of the city, and in the crowded tenement sections the conditions were as bad almost as in midsummer. The maximum temperature as recorded in the streets varied from 98 to 101 degrees. There were three heat prostrations. The weather bureau gives no hope for immediate relief.

Muscatine, Iowa, May 15.—The weather the last few days has been the hottest for the same dates within twenty-five years.

## MADMAN KILLED BY A NURSE.

Remarkable Fight in Which Lunatic Is Involved.

New York, May 15.—Thirty-two lunatics in the Bellevue hospital insane pavilion overpowered the four nurses who were in charge, and for an hour ran wildly through the corridors doing personal violence to all who interfered. William J. Steinmetz, insane, who fought to restrain a prisoner, also insane, died this morning from injuries received at the melee at the hospital. Steinmetz stood fighting until the last. He saw Richards, a nurse, grappling with a fellow-prisoner, and ran at him. "God Almighty told me to kill you!" he shrieked. Richards was alone with the man in one end of the building. He fellow-nurses were trying to subdue the mad crowd fifty feet away. It was a fight to the death between the nurse and the madman, and the former won.

## Burglars At Evansville.

Evansville, Wis., May 15.—Last night burglars entered the residence of Fred A. Baker and secured \$20 in cash. They also entered the residence of W. W. Young, but were frightened away. At William Libby's they got two gold watches and \$5.

## Leading wheels. Talk to Lowell.

## TAX COMMISSION IN SESSION TODAY

FIRST OF THE HEARINGS ON METHODS OF TAXATION.

Effort to Substitute a Property Valuation Instead of a License Fee for Wisconsin Railways—Program for the Supreme Court—University Fellowships Named.

Madison, Wis., May 15.—There was a full representation of railroad attorneys at the first public hearing of the State Tax commission which opened in the senate chamber of the state house at 2:30 o'clock this morning. Judge N. S. Gilson, president of the commission, presided. The most important question of the hearing, as recently outlined by the commission, is whether or not the present method of taxation by a license fee of a certain percent, on the gross earnings per mile of a railroad should be abolished and a property valuation tax substituted. This will be the first of several hearings on the taxation of telephone and telegraph companies, trust, insurance, street car and other large corporation.

## Supreme Court Program.

The supreme court will this afternoon hand down decisions in a number of important cases. It will then begin the hearing of arguments on the final assignment of appeals to be decided before the summer vacation. When it hands down decisions in these cases it will admit to practice before it the graduates of the University Law School.

## University Fellowships Named.

The fellows for next year were elected by the University of Wisconsin faculty last evening:

American history—Louis E. P. Kellogg and Charles McCurdy.  
European history—James F. Willard.  
Economics and political science—Allyn A. Young and H. N. Quinlan.  
English literature—A. H. R. Fairchild.  
German philology—Charles B. Handschin.  
Latin—Lee Byrne.  
Greek—Annie N. Scribner.  
Electrical engineering—George H. Jones.  
Civil engineering—L. E. King.  
Chemistry—Herman Schubert.  
Mathematics—Charlotte E. Pongra.  
Philosophy—J. W. Baird.  
Alumni—Edward A. Hook.  
Honorary fellow in electrical engineering—Prof. Fish of Ohio State University.

## GOUGHAM ICE TRUST BECOMES GENEROUS

Will Sell a Fifteen Pound Lump of Frozen Water to the Poor For Five Cents.

New York, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—At a concession to public opinion expressed through the press, the ice company announces that it will sell a fifteen pound lump to the poor for five cents.

## CHICAGO'S MUNICIPAL SCANDAL.

High Officials May Be Implicated in the Water Robbery.

Chicago, May 15.—Clarence M. Wolfe of 321 Jackson boulevard and George W. Piggott of 399 Hermitage avenue two trusted employees of the water bureau, are locked up in the city hall police station charged with conspiracy, soliciting and accepting bribes and defrauding the city. Wolfe and Piggott are believed to have been the ring-leaders in a conspiracy in which the city is said to have lost between \$75,000 and \$200,000. The discovery of a big fraud in the water department has caused a sensation in the city hall. More developments are expected and other arrests will probably be made. The scheme of robbery is not a new one. The plot involves, the police say, at least 200 owners of buildings who are said to have given bribes to the water office employees to obtain reductions in water bills. The suspected men, who are rate-takers, are said to have tampered with the permanent seals of water meters, setting back the registers and in some instances making false returns without going to the trouble of changing the meters.

## Fatal Wreck in Mexico.

City Mexico, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—A construction train on the Guadalupe branch of the Mexican Central road was wrecked yesterday and an engineer and ten men killed and many injured.

## Kentucky Put Into Commission

Newport News, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—The new battleship Kentucky went into commission this morning with the usual ceremonies.

## Two Drowned While Bathing.

Chicago, May 15.—William Koldyski, 10 years old, 3 West 20th street, while bathing in the river at the foot of Seward street was drowned before help could reach him. Thomas Olsen, 14 years old, 5 Crosby street, disobeyed his father's injunction not to go swimming in the river and lost his life.

## Captain Dreyfus in Paris.

Paris, May 15.—Captain Alfred Dreyfus left Geneva last evening and arrived with his wife in Paris this morning. The government is much worried by this journey, which was quite unlooked for, and will take measures to have him leave as soon as possible, owing to his fear of demonstrations.

## EMPEROR IN A SHAM BATTLE.

William Commands Victorious Division in Army Drill at Metz.

Strasbourg, May 15.—Emperor William commanded the victorious division in the maneuvers of the army corps held near Metz today. The emperor was aggressive in big tactics. The mimic battle was marked by several striking instances of daring. In one case a soldier, in order to gain for the commander important information concerning the movements of the opposing forces, climbed an almost perpendicular rock. The brilliant cavalry charges and the dashing attacks of the artillery were viewed with admiration by the spectators. The Kaiser has named the newly constructed fort at Metz "Kronprinz Wilhelm." The bicycle estate that left Strasbourg Saturday morning reached Berlin Sunday afternoon a long way ahead of schedule time.

## ST. LOUIS UNIONS TO FIGHT IT OUT

PREPARATIONS TO PROLONG STREET RAILWAY STRIKE.

Transit Lines are Still Tied Up and There Seems to be No Prospects For a Peaceable Settlement—Cars Running All Right in Kansas City.

St. Louis, Mo., May 15.—The strike on the Suburban Street railway was settled last evening and the employees returned to work this morning. The Suburban company is the only street railway system in the city not controlled by the St. Louis Transit company. Its employees struck ten days prior to the strike of the Transit company's employees.

The Transit lines are still tied up and there is no prospect of a peaceable settlement of the troubles. Business men, tax payers, employees and officers of the company were in conference all day but failed to agree on any one of the points in issue.

All over the city the tracks of various lines in the system are buried beneath tons of debris. The street-cleaning department has worked all day in removing the obstructions. Notwithstanding that negotiations are still pending, men to take the places of strikers are being brought in at the rate of 200 a day. In answer to the police board advertisement of 2,500 men to act as special officers at \$3 per day during the continuance of the strike, but 204 presented themselves.

Early this morning guards patrolling the tracks of the Meramec division of the Suburban system engaged in a pitched battle with the country with wire cutters. Over 100 shots were fired, with what result is not known. Talk of a sympathy strike among the trades grows rapidly.

Arrangements are maturing to have Debs, Gompers, Sovereign, Parsons, Mitchell, Burns and other heads of national bodies visit the city to aid the street car men with a view to stirring up public sympathy still further.

## Cars Running in Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., May 15.—The street car strike here has proved of absolutely no effect, except for putting the 350 strikers out of jobs. The cars are running as regularly as they were before the strike was declared.

## Find the Islanders Starving.

San Francisco, Cal., May 15.—Letters have been received here from the bark Empire, which sailed for Adelaide, South Australia. These say the vessel called on the way at Palmerston island, midway between Tahiti and Samoa, and found the people starving. The island is seldom visited except by traders from Barotonga. Elihu Williams, a trader who owned the island, had died of starvation. His son and the rest of the people were reduced to desperate straits for food. Adelaide sent out a relief vessel.

## Mobs a Minutal Company.

Winnipeg, Man., May 15.—Duncan Clark's female minstrel company was mobbed here. At the close of the play the audience demanded another act. This being refused they broke up a number of seats in the theater and afterward 300 followed the company to the private car at the Northern Pacific station and smashed every window and a number of panels of the car. Two leaders of the mob were arrested.

## Mount Vesuvius Again Active.

Rome, May 15.—Mount Vesuvius is again in a state of eruption and spectators are forbidden to approach within a certain distance. Signor Mattencci, professor of geology in the university of Naples, who is devoting himself to a study of volcanic action, had a narrow escape. He had received a special permit to approach the crater and was bruised and burned by a shower of incandescent stones.

## Poisoned by Chicken Salad.

New York, May 15.—A chicken salad furnished by a syndicate of women from the Kingsbridge Pride of Hudson Circle Companions of the Foresters poisoned one member almost fatally and has invalidated sixty-four others. Half a dozen women furnished the salad. Among those who ate of it was Mrs. Thomas Martin, wife of the Foresters' physician. For a time her life was despaired of.

## Will Compete with the Trust.

Detroit, Mich., May 15.—Last Saturday the Continental Tobacco company closed the big Scotten factory in this city and 900 employees were thrown out of work. Today the preliminary steps to the organization of the Michigan Independent Tobacco company were taken. It will fight the trust from the very beginning, relying upon trade tributary to Detroit, to supply the market for high-grade anti-trust goods.

## Copper Miners are Uneasy.

Houghton, Mich., May 15.—[Special Telegram]—Thirty-five hundred men are now idle in the copper mines and signs of unrest among the entire fifteen thousand in the copper district.

## GEN. BULLER HAS OCCUPIED DUNDEE

No News of the Relief of Mafeking in London Today.

## IS EXPECTED HOURLY

Boers Keep Retreating as Fast as Possible Into the Transvaal Territory.

## ROBERTS TO FOLLOW CLOSELY

London, May 15.—[Special Cablegram]—It is officially announced that Gen. Buller has occupied Dundee.

Gen. Buller's occupation of Dundee is the first official news of movements in Natal which has a sentimental interest attached. The evacuation of Dundee in October by Gen. Buller first brought home the difficulties of the war. Although no news of the relief of Mafeking was received at the war office this morning it is admitted that such information is expected hourly. The general opinion is that Buller's movement is simply to occupy the attention of the Natal Boers to relieve Roberts from pressure.

## London, May 15.—[Special Cablegram]

Gen. Buller's dispatch is as follows: "Dundee 1 p. m.—We have occupied Dundee. Twenty-five hundred of the enemy left yesterday for Glencoe where they entrained for Laing's Nek. The houses at Dundee were looted and the machinery in the collieries destroyed though navigation in the colliery is intact."

## Steamer Maastam Sighted.

New York, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—The steamer Maastam with the Boer commissioners was sighted this morning.

## Boers From Natal Busy.

Kroonstadt, May 15.—[Special Telegram]—The Boers from Natal are reinforcing those on our front. Only two thousand Free Staters will fight in the Transvaal.

## OPERA SINGERS DIE OF YELLOW FEVER

Twelve Members of the Italian Opera Company Succumb to Disease in Brazil.

Rio Janeiro, May 15.—[Special Cablegram]—Twelve members of the Italian Opera company, which has been giving performances at Manaus, Amazonas, and other places in Central Brazil, have died of yellow fever. Three survivors sailed yesterday for Genoa. Director Solnik fell ill and died in three hours, and prima donna Zeichhi followed soon with the minor lights rapidly following.

## Hundreds Go to Cape Nome.

San Francisco, Cal., May 15.—The Cape Nome rush is now on and before the end of the week several thousand prospectors will have sailed from this port for the Alaskan coast. One of the largest crowds ever seen on the water front witnessed the departure of the old steamer Senator with 200 gold seekers. It will take on about 250 more at Seattle. Three other vessels are ready to leave—the steamer Ohio and the steam schooners Ranier and Luella—while Wednesday the steamer San Pedro is booked to sail. The men going to Cape Nome include a liberal sprinkling of "tenderfeet" who are trying their fortunes in the arctic regions for the first time.

## Falls from a Dizzy Height.

Lowell, Mass., May 15.—Becoming dizzy while in the steeple of St. Patrick's church, Thomas McDermott, a painter, lost his balance and fell 175 feet striking a ridge of slate roof, bounding high in the air, striking again, then going downward till his body struck a picket fence and was literally torn to pieces. Matches in his pocket set fire to his clothing after striking the fence. All this happened while the church organ pealed out a requiem and several hundred people were at mass.

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## VICIOUS HORSE CAUSES LAW SUIT

### BELOIT PARTIES BEFORE THE COURT TODAY.

**Mrs. Emma Metcalf Alleges That She Was Injured by the Actions of an Unruly Horse Owned by John Ritscher of Beloit—Several Witnesses Sworn—Other Cases Before the Court.**

Throughout the day a jury in the Rock county circuit court heard the action of Emma Metcalf vs. John Ritscher. The interested parties reside in Beloit. The plaintiff alleges that in April, 1898 she was injured by being thrown out of her buggy, because unruly as the result of being run into by a horse Mr. Ritscher was leading.

Among the witnesses sworn on the part of the plaintiff were Emma Metcalf, Rose Abbott, Louise Hagadorn, Dr. Helms, Dr. Bennett and Mrs. Elizabeth Whetstone.

Silas Menzies appeared for the plaintiff and Ruger & Ruger for the defendant. The case of John Black vs. G. A. Lathrop was set for trial Tuesday, May 15. The case of Solomon Rudolf et al. vs. J. E. Malone et al. was called and set for Thursday, May 31.

Myrtle L. Hutson et al. was given judgment against C. L. Burnham et al., and that the surplus in the hands of the circuit court clerk of Dane county be applied on said judgment.

When the replevin action of Ann Atlessey vs. William Atlessey was called this morning it was stricken from the calendar as settled, on motion of Attorney H. S. Sloan for the defendant. The interested parties reside in Edgerton, and the trouble was over the possession of a horse.

### EXPECT GREAT BALL TEAM

**Janesville Was Being Billed Today by Manager Wilson.**

Manager Wilson of the Beloit opera house spent the day in Janesville billing the town in the interest of the Beloit College-Notre Dame base ball game to be played in Beloit on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock of this week. Adkins will pitch for Beloit. Gibson, who will pitch for Notre Dame, will on leaving college enter the Boston league team. The Beloit team has been strengthened of late and a warm contest may be expected.

### ANNUAL TAX SALE TODAY

**Held This Afternoon at the Office of County Treasurer Thorpe.**

This afternoon the annual state and county tax sale took place in the office of County Treasurer A. C. Thorpe. About a dozen speculators were on hand and at times the bidding was spirited, the property being sold to the highest bidder. The most prominent of bidders present were W. H. H. Mooloon, Janesville; J. B. Dow, Beloit and S. S. Northrop of Clinton.

### SAYRE'S MOVE TO BELOIT

**Well Known Residents Expect to Leave Janesville.**

The Beloit News prints the following: Dr. E. C. Helm has sold his residence property in Locust street to E. Sayre of Janesville. He will move to this city with his family September 1 in order to give the children an opportunity to attend Beloit college. Mr. and Mrs. Sayre have many friends in Beloit who will give them a most hearty welcome.

### REV. MR. M'GOWAN TO PREACH

**Former Rock County Man to Speak to Presbyterians Next Sunday.**

Rev. Wallace McGowan of Pemberville, Ohio, will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. Rev. Mr. McGowan is a Rock county man, his parents residing at Johnston Center. He is not an applicant for Rev. E. H. Pence's former pulpit, but, being here on a visit, accepted an invitation to preach here.

### PIANO RECITAL THIS EVENING

**To Be Given by Miss Beach at the Congregational Church.**

This evening in the parlors of the Congregational church, a piano recital will be given by Miss Jessie A. Beach of Chicago. For the past two years Miss Beach has been a pupil of Hugh A. Kelso, Jr., of Chicago, and as a musician of high standing, she holds a prominent position. No admission will be charged.

### STORE CLOSING TONIGHT

**Look For Tomorrow's Big Ad on Shoe Bargains.**

The store of O. D. Lincoln & Co. on the bridge closes tonight and will remain closed until Saturday morning. Look out for a land slide.

Half Rates to Madison, Wis., Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

On May 24, 25 and morning trains on May 25, good to return until May 29, account interscholastic athletic meet. Full particulars at passenger depot.

Low Rates to Detroit, Mich., Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

On May 22nd and 23rd, good until May 30th. Further particulars at passenger depot.

Remarkably Cheap Lighting.

Portland, Ind., May 15.—The light committee of the city council reported that for the last eleven months the arc lights used to light Portland, sixty-five in number, have cost only \$62.72 for the entire period, this being under municipal ownership. When the plant was owned by private parties \$80 a light per annum was charged, the cost for the entire service now being less than was formerly paid for one light.

## MENU FOR WEDNESDAY.

Popular opinion is the greatest life in the world.—Carlyle.

### BREAKFAST.

Oatmeal with Dates, Cream and Sugar.  
Poached Eggs, Tomato Sauce.  
Virginia Batter Cake. Toast.  
Cafe au Lait.

### LUNCHEON.

Savory Rolls. Lettuce Salad.  
Rhubarb Jelly. Angel Cake.  
Iced Tea.

### DINNER.

Julienne Soup.  
Baked Irish Stew. Spiced Plums.  
Carrots in Lemon Butter.  
Sliced Tomatoes with Cream Dressing.  
Ginger Pudding, Orange Sauce.  
Cafe Noir.

### BAKED IRISH STEW.

Fill a baking dish with alternate layers of sliced beef, potatoes and onions, season with pepper and salt, moisten with water or stock, cover the top with potato crust and bake in a moderate oven until brown. Serve in baking dish.

## BRIEF NOTES OF LOCAL NEWS

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WALL paper sale at Skelly's.

STOVES stored. Talk to Lowell.

FRESH wax beans at Dedrick Bros.

TALK to Lowell about your tinware.

BORNEO BLEND at Dedrick Bros.

TALK to Lowell about Goodrich lawn hose, the best made.

EXTRA large fancy sugar pineapples 18c at Dedrick Bros.

It is surprising how our want ads find lost articles.

Very fancy fresh berries 10 cents a quart at Dedrick Bros.

SKIRTS at way down prices Wednesday at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

THE Wisconsin Canning Company's vehicles. F. A. Taylor & Co.

HOME grown asparagus, large bunches, 5 cents. Dedrick Bros.

THREE good second-hand buggies for sale cheap. F. A. Taylor & Co.

ALWAYS \$2.50 now \$1.98 at Rehberg's A handsome shoe at a small cost.

For carriage and harness we can save you money. F. A. Taylor & Co.

KRANTZ crown chocolates, a full new line of their best goods just in. Dedrick Bros.

The largest brick warehouse in the city for storing stoves. Telephone to Lowell.

ANOTHER lot of pur strawberry preserves in bulk 9 cents a pound. Dedrick Bros.

FIFTY tourists' summer skirts worth \$1.25 to \$2.00 each at 75 cents Wednesday at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

WONDERFUL values these \$1.98 shoes. Come and get a pair now we have all sizes. Amos Rehberg & Co.

SPECIAL sale of skirts for Wednesday two lots at 75 cents and \$1.00. Large ad. speaks of them fully. Bort, Bailey & Co.

MONEY goes begging in Janesville at 4 1/2 to 5 per cent. Money invested in a Forest Park lot will beat interest out of sight.

WESTERN Star Lodge No. 14, F. & A. M. will meet in regular session this evening at Masonic hall. Work is expected.

WE will offer 100 beautiful mercerized satin skirts worth \$1.25 to \$3.00 at \$1.00 each on Wednesday. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE Ladies' Aid society of Court Street church will meet with Mrs. Bennett on Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., 15 N. Franklin street.

Two lots for sale on the east side of Forest Park boulevard are 4 rods wide and 12 rods deep. The lots on the west side of the boulevard have a twenty foot alley in the rear.

"ALL the world knows the quality of Pillsbury's Vitos Breakfast Food and Pillsbury's Flaked Oat Food are from the same mill, which speaks for itself. Sold by Janesville grocers."

"THE Pillsbury Mills guarantee Pillsbury's Flaked Oat Food, equal to any other brand of oats and superior to many. For sale by city grocers."

LADIES who like bargains will find some of the genuine kind every day at our special sales. Wednesday, two lots of skirts will go at reduced prices. Bort, Bailey & Co.

"THE Pillsbury Mills of Minneapolis have put on the market in this city through the Janesville Wholesale Grocery company, their superior brand of package Flaked Oat Food. Sold by all grocers."

DELEGATES to the district meeting of the W. F. M. S. in Delavan will leave the Milwaukee and St. Paul depot Wednesday morning at 11:30 via Beloit. Delegates from Fort. Atkinson will join them here thus securing one and one-third rates.

PAUL IVERSON, well known in Janesville, received a cablegram today from Sundsvall, Sweden, congratulating upon his 70th birthday. The old gentleman also received congratulatory letters from other relatives some of them containing considerable checks.

At \$1.98 we give you a choice collection of vici kid shoes in rich brown or tan color with cloth tops or leather tops. We guarantee this line the equal of any \$2.50 shoe in town. We can't find any foot narrower or wider. Amos Rehberg & Co.

WE call particular attention to lot 13 block 6, southwest corner of Jefferson avenue and Valentine street. The lot in the rear will be sold with it if desired, and will make an excellent location for barn, etc. Lot 13 is in an excellent location for a dwelling, and is only three blocks from the old high school and one block from the street railroad. Four lots across the street on the north, have been sold within the past week. Forest Park Co.

## M'MANUS INSANE OVER Y. M. C. A.

### THOUGHT LOCAL ASSOCIATION WOULD HARM HIM.

**Has Nourished This Thought For Some Time.—Well Known Resident and a Man Forty-six Years of Age—Has Three Children—Taken to Mendota Hospital Today.**

Constant worrying over the thought that the Janesville Young Men's Christian Association was hounding him, drove John McManus of this city violently insane and this morning the unfortunate man was taken to the state hospital for the insane at Mendota.

Friends allege that since the erection of the costly Y. M. C. A. building in this city he has worried day and night over the thought that the Association was to do him harm. Relatives could not convince the unfortunate man otherwise and his case gradually grew worse.

For four that he would do harm either to himself or friends an examination into his case was ordered by the court. Drs. M. A. Cunningham and James Gibson made the examination finding McManus of unsound mind. Officer Wallace Cochran left today for Mendota with the unfortunate man in charge.

McManus for a number of years resided near this city, and of late has lived in Janesville with relatives. He is forty-six years of age and is a widower, with three children, the youngest being fourteen years of age. Mr. McManus also imagined that his son was trying to harm him. The unfortunate man, for some time was employed as foreman, by Patrick Ryan, the grading contractor.

## POLICE ARREST LOCAL CYCLERS

**They Will Report in Court Tomorrow Morning—Riding Their Wheels Without Lamps.**

Last evening Chief Hogan and Officer Brown took in charge a half dozen cyclers whom they allege violated the city ordinance by not providing their bicycles with lamps. The surprised wheelmen were taken in charge on West Milwaukee street. All were released but their wheels were kept by the police and taken to the city lockup where they are now held for security. Warrants have been sworn out for the arrest of the guilty parties and tomorrow morning they are scheduled to appear in court.

Chief Hogan said today: "There will be no more fooling about this city ordinance. We mean business from now on. All have been given fair warning. Those who ride wheels at night without lamps must suffer the consequences."

## CELEBRATED CHINA WEDDING

**Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Nicholson Were Hosts Last Evening.**

Fifty friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Nicholson last evening at their Chatham street home in honor of their china wedding. Twenty years ago in this city Miss May Stoddard and F. F. Nicholson were united in marriage. The guests last evening were members of Janesville Lodge No. 171, Daughters of Rebekah. Refreshments were in order and all present spent a most enjoyable evening.

## Bantam Rooster Living on a Grave.

It is by no means an uncommon occurrence to see glass cases on the graves of children in the cemeteries of the country containing toys and other articles that were the especial favorites of the dead child, but James Austin, a fruit tree man, tells of an instance of this nature that is out of the ordinary. Says an Elwood (Ind.) dispatch to the Cincinnati Enquirer. He was making a delivery in the southern part of Tippecanoe county recently, when he noticed a coop sitting on a grave in a little churchyard. The sight was so unusual that he got out of his buggy and went for a closer view. In the cage was a red bantam rooster, which was quite tame and allowed itself to be petted. There was no stone to indicate whose grave it was on, but inquiry at a house disclosed the fact that the fowl had been a pet of the little girl of John Stover, and when she died the parents placed it in a wire cage on the grave, and they make daily trips, three-quarters of a mile, to take it food and water.

## Christian Socialists' Magazine.

The Christian Socialists have just succeeded in distributing all the copies of the first issue of their Socialist Review, the first Socialist magazine ever published in the United States, says the New York Journal. The magazine will now be published monthly at Kearney, Neb. The contributors for the first issue were the following, nearly all prominent Christian Socialists: Rev. F. L. Hayden, D. D.; W. L. Hand, Professor George D. Herron, C. Putnam, Colonel John A. Joyce, H. U. Casson, Rev. E. von Forrell and R. B. French. The aim of the publication is to substitute co-operation for competition, unity and universal brotherhood for strife and fear, to help to get all men to do their thinking on the highest plane, to think of palaces and mansions instead of hovels, poorhouses and jails, to think of health instead of sickness, good instead of evil and to have faith in men.

## A Subway For Chicago.

A subway system is proposed for Chicago to relieve congested conditions. The proposed width, according to the Philadelphia Record, is 35 feet, divided into three spaces, two for street car tracks and the third for wires. The rails will be 17 feet below the surface of the street.

## NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

GEORGE D. SIMPSON was in Chicago yesterday.

Mrs. M. M. FARLEY is visiting relatives in Chicago.

FRANK L. SMITH was up from Chicago to spend Sunday.

Dr. E. D. ROBERTS was called to Edgerton yesterday.

GEORGE SHUTLEFF is home from a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. BOWEN and daughter Miss Lottio Bowen of Brodhead spent the day in the city.

Mrs. CALDER WINSLOW leaves tomorrow morning for a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Miss EDITH HAYWARD expects to leave soon for Texas to visit with her sister.

Rev. A. G. WILSON left morning to attend the Western Unitarian conference at Chicago.

Mrs. WILLIAM SHATTUCK and son leave tomorrow for their home at Cumberland, Md.

A son has arrived safely at the St. Mary's avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. George Keeter.

CLAYTON HOLMES is home from an extended trip in the south where he has been for his health.

ENGINEER Edward Hayward now has charge of a passenger train between Chicago and Evanston.

ORIS H. BRAND, who has been confined to his home for several days on account of illness is slowly improving.

Mrs. WILLIAMS left this morning for a two weeks' visit with her son Ward in Milwaukee. From there she will visit in Dakota.

## ROSS FOR RENOMINATION

**Well Known County School Superintendent Is Again in the Field.**

The Wisconsin Tobacco Reporter of Edgerton prints the following: "At the request of the leading educators of the county, Supt. Ross has consented to alibi name to go before the coming republican county convention as a candidate for renomination. He has served the county in the capacity of superintendent for eleven years and has given universal satisfaction and for this reason is entitled to renomination."

## BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

WE are showing some choice styles in wash dress goods at 3, 5, 8, 10 and 12 cents per yard. T. P. Burns.

THE lowest prices in town on all grades of ingrain, Brussels, moquette and velvet carpets. T. P. Burns.

O. D. LINCOLN & Co's shoe store on the bridge, closes tonight until Saturday morning. Look out for a land slide.

Mrs. WILLIAM KENT SHATTUCK entertained a number of ladies yesterday at the home of her mother on East street.

THE monthly meeting of the local W. C. T. U. will be held in the Baptist church parlors on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

EVERY lot in Forest Park is two blocks nearer the Center of Milwaukee street bridge than the home of the late Judge Bennett. Draw a circle on a city map and prove it. Most of them are the same distance from the same center as the residences of J. C. Echlin and Dr. Loomis in the First ward.

Low Rates to North Manchester, Ind., Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

On May 29 and 30 good to return until July 1, account annual meeting German Baptists.

Says Germany Is Friendly.

Berlin, May 15.—E. von Schleinitz, editor of Germania, Milwaukee, was received today in special audience by Baron von Richthofen, under secretary for foreign affairs. Baron von Richthofen expressed himself in a frank and friendly manner regarding the relations of Germany and the United States.

## JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. Corrected by P. H. Bump.

WHEAT—Retail at 85c@91.00 per sack.

BEAN—Retail at 75c@90.00 lbs., \$15.00@16.00.

FEED—75c per bushel.

MIDDLING—Retail at 70c@91.00 lbs., \$13.00@14.00.

WHEAT—Fair to best grades, 55c@62c.

RYE—Scarcely at 55c@56c.

BARLEY—Daily ranges at 35c@36c.

HAY—Timothy 1600, \$10.00@11.00; other kinds \$8.00@9.00.

EAR CORN—20.50 @ 20 per ton.

STRAW—24.50@25.00 per ton.

POTATOES—20c@25c per bushel.

POULTRY—Chickens, dressed 7@8c, Turkeys 9@10c.

OATS—Lower, 22c@23c.

CLAY—\$1.00@2.00 per bushel.

CEMENT—Spec. 25.00@26.00 per 100 lbs.

TIMOTHY SEED—2.00@2.25 per 100 lbs.

BUTTER—15c@16c.

EGGS—05c@06c per dozen.

WOOL—Washed, 25c@27c; unwashed, 15c@21c.

HIDES—Green, 6c@7c; dry, 8c@9c.

SKINS—Quotable at 50c@51.

CATTLE—2.50@3.50 per cwt.

HOGS—4.75@5.07 per cwt.

## MISS GODDEN WEDS KANSAS DOCTOR

### Former Well Known Janesville School Teacher the Bride—Daughter of Mrs. Ann Godden of This City.

Miss Lillian Godden, the daughter of Mrs. Ann Godden of this city was joined in the holy bonds of matrimony on May 9 to Dr. W. E. Barker of Chanute, Kansas. The ceremony was performed at Grace church rectory, Chanute and was witnessed by only a few intimate friends and relatives.

The bride is a former well known resident of Janesville and many here will extend most hearty congratulations. For some time she was engaged in teaching school in Janesville, Chippewa Falls and Chicago. For the past seven years she has been engaged as drawing representative of D. C. Heath & Company, publishers of Chicago and Boston. It was Miss Godden's duty to visit the important schools of all the large cities of the country. The groom is a surgeon for the Santa Fe railroad and is also vice president of the Chanute Fuel and Light company.

Is Named Governor of Cebu.

Springfield, Ill., May 15.—According to dispatches received here Col. Edward J. McClernand, commanding the Forty-fourth United States volunteer infantry, has been appointed civil and military governor of the island of Cebu, in the Philippine archipelago. Col. McClernand is the son of Gen. John A. McClernand of this city, and was captain in the Tenth United States cavalry when the war with Spain began. He was adjutant of the Fifth army corps under Gen. Shafter, and when the Forty-fourth regiment was created by act of congress he was appointed its colonel and went with the regiment to the Philippines.

Killed an Entire Family.

Weatherford, O. T., May 15.—A man answering the description of George Taylor, who escaped from prison at Carrollton, Mo., shortly before the time set for his execution, has been arrested here. Taylor has been missing three years. He and his brother "Bill" murdered an entire family in Missouri and attempted to burn their bodies. Both escaped from prison. "Bill" was recaptured and hanged.

State Banks Show Increase.

Springfield, Ill., May 15.—A recapitulation of the aggregate resources and liabilities of 156 state banks doing business in Illinois on April 27, as compared with 155 banks reporting on Feb. 14, shows an increase of \$4,984,912, the aggregate being \$207,576,168, against \$202,591,256 at the last report.

Judge Phillips Near to Death.

Springfield, Ill., May 15.—The condition of Judge Jesse J. Phillips of the supreme court, who is ill at his home in Hillsboro, is considered critical. A watch at his bedside is maintained constantly.

## THANKS PROVIDENCE

**Dr. Secrist a Physician of Skill.**

After trying many doctors without getting any help I consulted Dr. Secrist. I thank providence for it as I have received the greatest benefit from his treatment. His charges are reasonable and he is a physician of skill in treating chronic diseases. I write this for the benefit of other sufferers.

JAMES AOKER.

Dr. Secrist requires no money from responsible parties to commence treatment. If you are sick do not fail to consult him, free, at Park hotel, Janesville, on Friday, May 18th.

## Stamped Linen

AND

## Art Goods Sale.

For the balance of this week we shall offer the above goods at greatly reduced prices. This will be a buying event that will make you remember our store. Don't miss it. The following is a partial list of the bargains:

6-inch Dollies, 3 for 5c

10-inch Dollies, each 4c

16-inch Dollies, each 8c

9-inch hemstitched Dollies, each 10c

12-inch hemstitched Dollies, each 15c

18-inch hemstitched Dollies, each 25c

Cut work Dollies, from 6 to 24 inches, from 10 to 50c



## RIDE TO BLOEMFONTEIN

Battlefield Scenes in the Wake of Roberts' Army.

### CLOUDS OF GHOULISH VULTURES.

Pathetic Sights of Dying Horses. Tattered Love Letters Found on British Camp Grounds—Bonfires of Food That Could Not Be Transported—Lord Roberts' Visit to a Dutch Farm.

Julian Ralph in the London Daily Mail thus describes a ride to Bloemfontein in the wake of Lord Roberts' victorious army:

"Even the blooming butterflies are the color of khaki," as Tommy Atkins remarked when he saw his first swarm of locusts. There is an exception to the rule, as was proved by the next living thing I saw. It was a secretary bird, a yard in height, as heavy as a big turkey, a stately bird, holding himself proudly and stalking along with noble strides as he glanced about him for a breakfast of snakes. He was black and white. Partridges and many snipe-like birds fluttered out of our road, and presently I saw ahead of me a swarm of vultures, soaring in as thick a cloud as if they had been moths. As I drew nearer I noticed that the bulk of each one's body was very great. On the ground, where there were two or three waddling about, they seemed even larger. They marked the outer edge of the great and horrid field of carnage. Many dead horses lay on the veldt, and these birds were eating some and perching on the bodies of others.

"Foul, nauseous, ugly, beastly birds are these. They were to be my constant companions for three days. I was to see hundreds upon hundreds of them and never once, by day, fail to see them. Yet there were not enough of them to make away with all the food that war had given them. Toward the end of the ride the ghoulish birds thinned out, but the dead horses and oxen multiplied.

"Of all the pitiful, heartrending sights I have ever seen none has compared to this view of hundreds upon hundreds of dead and dying horses on this 100 miles of war's promenade. The poor beasts had done no man any harm. In fact, each one had been a man's reliance, and to see them tattered by shell and then ripped open by vultures before they were dead was enough to snap the tenderest chords in one's breast. They had not deserved and they could not understand their horrible ill luck. For some reason hundreds had dragged themselves to the main road and then had died, either in the track of the wagons or by its side.

"My companion used to turn and look back at these dying horses to find that they were still straining their sad eyes after the cart. Then he would say: 'He is looking at us yet. Oh, it makes me ill! Look! He is staring at us like a guilty conscience. What can we do? I wish we did not see such things.'

"For my part I would not look back. Heaven knows it was bad ahead where horses stumbled and fell from weakness, while the horrible scavengers swept in circles over them, eager to rend their living flesh. Oxen, too, were lying everywhere, with straight, stiff legs silhouetted against the veldt. They looked like the toy animals that children make out of round potatoes with wooden matches for legs.

"Wherever there had been a British camp one found a great litter of little bits of writing paper, every tenth piece marked with a line of x x x x x or double or treble lines of them. Followed by the words 'Ever your sweetheart, Alice,' or 'Your very loving Molly.' These were Tommy's letters from the farms of England and the servants' halls of her estates.

"Fandenberg battleground is wonderful to see. It suggests a pandemonium—the wreck of nature by delirium tremens. The earth is all settled with trenches, and the trenches are cluttered with trunks, clothing, books, tins, cartridges, cartridge wrappings, broken files, shelter cloths, physics and spirit bottles, old letters written in Dutch, bells, bullets, wasted food, bags and packs, harness, tools—goodness knows that not. Behind the first trenches and the ruins of scores of vehicles. If some that were burned by shells, the ironwork and the tires remain. There are buck wagons, ambulances, spiders, Cape carts, gun carriages and covered farm wagons, all broken, torn, dismembered and often used by fire.

"As I passed across the river I came upon two mountains of—what do you think? One of compressed hay and one of oats. And both were on fire, being burned by some of the Warwickshire regiment by order of the field marshal, who has no wagons to bring the precious food and does not mean that the Boers shall get it. Awaiting the arch was another great hillock made of a thousand boxes of biscuits, and miles ahead our horses and men were on half rations or less. Such is war.

"Such is what must be endured by Tommy, by his generals and by the Duke of Westminster, who has been asked to borrow a blanket ere this and a feet of the veldt for his bed.

"Near Driefontein we came to the farmhouse of a German family named Mulke, and went in and had the inevitable coffee with them. There was a Boer ambulance doctor spiriting out in the hall, a man attached to the German corps, and afraid to go out to join his people, as I understood the case. Of course, the Mulkes were very old the British had come, as they had been glad if the Boers had the instead. And, of course, the British had stolen their fowls—and all the

rest of the monotonously sickening humbuggery of their kind. There was one stroke of genuineness in their talk and that was:

"'Ye hat Lord Ropperts here to breakfast yesterday morning,' said Mrs. Mulke. 'I vos so glad to see him. And, my, ain't he little to be so gleyer and great? And ye hat here der Brinche of Deck and a war writer of newspapers named Hauds and der Gount Gleichen. 'Vot is your name?' I said, and he said, 'Gleichen.' and I said, 'Not der graf berhaps.' and he said, 'Yes, I am der graf,' and he vos in my kitchen. All of dem vos in der kitchen. My, such a lot of grade people to be in my house! And der Brinche Deck said, 'I vill show you a picture of the kaiserin, and it is in my wagon,' and he went owl and came back again and stuck his head in der kitchen window and said to my daughter, 'Tell your mother I am so sorry I can't find der photograph of der kaiserin.' Vos it not nice for him to dake so much trouble? My, he is so tall as der top of dat picture which hangs by der top of dat door."

"We camped at Driefontein, beside a branch of the Austrian hospital, famed as the most excellent of army hospitals. Next day we were just behind the British as they swept the kopjes for Boers, and that evening we came upon Lord Roberts' transport, which deserves a longer article than this solely to itself. And yet it must get but a kodak snap shot and be done with.

"First we came upon a great plain, alive with oxen, and farther on an orderly array of acres of buck wagons. A few miles farther along we saw another huge herd of oxen and another field full of wagons in mathematical array. Each of these masses of transport we supposed to be the whole of the army's supply.

"On we rode, and on mounting a ridge we saw the entire veldt before us thickly covered with transport wagons, hundreds upon hundreds of them, and 10 times as many oxen and an army of blacks and their conductors. I never saw so many wagons, and I believe I never saw a tenth part of so many oxen.

"The whole vista was cluttered with the transport, and it was like a majestic army in itself. Its front ranks were tailing out into a long one and trekking away. The rest were being inspanned. The noise of the bellowing of the beasts, of the barbaric yelling of the negroes, of the swishing and creaking of the wagons, was a din as difficult to describe as to forget.

"On a side road we drove past a mile of this extraordinary train of food and then entered the great valley in front of Bloemfontein. And, lo, for at least four or five miles before us the vanguard of the transport still reached away! We had not seen half of it until then. Guards at five paces apart lined a portion of our route. Cavalry in large forces dashed past us. Full companies of infantry kept slow pace with the wagons in other places.

"In time there came to be but one road. Darkness fell, and violent thunder, lightning and rain burst upon the veldt. At a mile and a half an hour we crept all night long toward Bloemfontein to the incessant tune of the cracking, air-sifting whips and the tigerish yells of the vast mounted negroes."

### BOERS' WIT AND COURAGE.

Collection of Messages Found by a British Trooper.

Trooper Richard Owen, son of the landlord of the Jubilee hotel, Carmarthen, has sent home a letter from Colesberg, with which he inclosed the following messages left by the Boers in a conspicuous position in the house where he was billeted, says the London News:

"Poor Tommies, we feel sorry for you as a Christian nation, as we are perfectly sure you are fighting an unjust war for the sake of the conchoidal money grabbing capitalists. Goodbye, old chap, we are leaving you now, but it is not on account of your good work, but our misfortunes at Kimberley, where you outnumbered us at the rate of five to one—60,000 English against 12,000 Boers. Don't let yourselves that we are beaten. We will do our best. More we cannot do, and with God's help, we will give a good account of ourselves. Yours, etc., WILFRED DEWEER."

To the Colonial Volunteers: You colonial volunteers must be very careful if we catch you, as the Boers are sick of you. One thing, however, is good—that you are always showing a clean pair of heels when the Boers come. We laughed at the way in which 500 of the Port Elizabeth volunteers—namely, Prince Alfred guards—behaved themselves on the 25-26th (Tommy, please teach them better manners and ways of fighting.)

We are going away now, as you are aware, but, begorra, be careful when we meet at Orange river. In future, if you want to fight the Boers, don't bring such a tremendous force. The only reason we are retreating is that we are afraid we won't have enough bullets to kill you all with, and, mooning, the place about here is not large enough to bury all your carcasses. God helped us thus far, and he will help us further. You may talk of Luinsnek, where you lost the union jack, but you will never be the rulers of the Transvaal. Lieutenant Tili of the Sixth Dragoon guards has asked me to give you his kind regards; ditto from Major Stocks.

### Sunday at the Paris Exposition.

A statement has been published in the city of Paris to the effect that President McKinley had directed our commission to close the American building on Sundays. The commissioners say they "have not decided the question as yet." In the present unfinished condition of the fair the decision or its announcement may easily be postponed for awhile, but not for long, says Edward Insley in Harper's Weekly. Undoubtedly the British pavilion and exhibits will be closed on that day. In 1889 the few British exhibitors who rashly followed the general example and kept their booths open were blackmailed by publications at home until they were forced to close. It will create no surprise to find the British building on the Quai d'Orsay and exhibits in the 18 different classes closed on Sunday. But when the United States follows suit it will accentuate in the minds of the already prejudiced French public the impression that the Americans and the hated English are one and the same.

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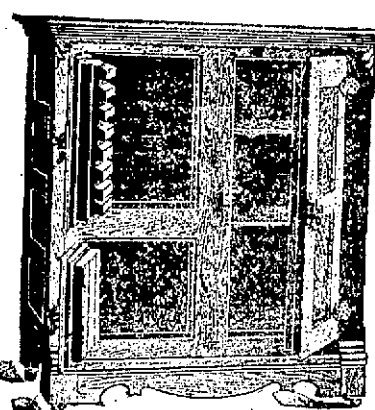


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## RAILROAD TIME TABLE

C. & N. W. RY.	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, via Clinton.....	4:30 am	12:10 pm
Chicago, via Clinton.....	6:40 am	2:25 pm
Chicago, via Clinton.....	7:40 am	3:25 pm
Chicago, via Clinton.....	12:35 pm	11:35 am
Chicago, via Clinton.....	7:35 pm	12:25 am
Chicago, via Beloit and Harvard.....	2:10 pm	7:50 pm
Chicago, via Beloit and Harvard.....	7:00 am	6:55 pm
Chicago, via Beloit and Harvard, Sunday only.....	2:20 pm	.....
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Omaha and Denver.....	8:20 am	11:55 am
Beloit and Rockford.....	2:10 pm	7:50 pm
Beloit and Rockford.....	7:00 am	7:05 pm
Beloit, Rockford and Belvidere.....	3:15 pm	8:05 am
Beloit, Rockford and Belvidere.....	8:20 am	7:50 pm
Beloit.....	8:00 pm	10:40 pm
Beloit.....	8:45 am	10:00 am
Beloit, Harvard and Chicago, Sunday only.....	2:20 pm	.....
Watertown, Fond du Lac and Green Bay.....	7:00 am	7:55 pm
Watertown, Fond du Lac and Green Bay.....	12:45 pm	12:15 pm
Watertown, Waukesha and Milwaukee.....	8:05 am	12:15
Watertown, Waukesha and Milwaukee.....	12:45 pm	7:50 pm
Watertown, Waukesha and Milwaukee.....	8:10 pm	7:35 pm
Watertown and Juneau.....	4:00 pm	4:00 pm
Freight.....	8:00 pm	8:20 pm
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon and Madison.....	8:05 am	4:30 am
Evansville, Madison, La Crosse and Dakota points.....	12:45 am	7:15 pm
Evansville, Madison, La Crosse and Dakota points.....	11:20 am	7:15 pm
Evansville, Madison and St. Paul.....	9:30 am	6:30 am
Evansville, Madison, Duluth and St. Paul.....	12:10 am	4:30 am
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul and Dakota points.....	12:45 am	2:50 pm
Evansville, Madison and Grey, Sunday only.....	7:30 am	.....
Janesville, Clinton, Davenport, Rock Island.....	8:20 am	7:50 pm

\* Daily.  
† Daily except Sunday.  
‡ Sunday only.

CHICAGO, MIL. & ST. P.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit.....	7:00 am	6:00 pm
Rockford and Beloit.....	11:50 am	12:45 pm
Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago.....	9:10 am	8:15 am
For Milwaukee.....	9:10 am	9:10 pm
St. Paul, La Crosse, Port J. and Madison.....	9:40 am	9:17 am
Madison.....	12:55 pm	12:50 pm
Madison.....	12:55 pm	12:50 pm
Madison, Stoughton, Madison, Lone Rock, Rock Island, Centor, Prairie du Chien, McGregor, Portage, Le Centre, Winona, St. Paul and Minneapolis.....	12:55 pm	12:55 pm
Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, St. Paul and Minneapolis, through sleeper and reclining chair cars via McGregor—daily except Saturday.....	12:55 pm	12:55 pm
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit.....	12:55 pm	4:00 pm
Chicago.....	11:40 am	12:55 pm
Beloit, Delavan, Elkhorn and Racine.....	11:40 am	4:00 pm
Kansas City through train.....	12:30 pm	7:30 pm
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia.....	12:30 pm	10:15 am
From Freeport.....	11:40 am	12:55 pm
Illinois with Central train north and south.....	12:35 pm	5:00 pm
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train.....	10:05 pm	6:00 pm
Also Dubuque.....	9:30 am	9:15 am
Monroe and Mineral Point.....	9:30 am	4:35 pm
Monroe and Mineral Point.....	7:50 pm	9:25 am
Monroe and Mineral Point mixed.....	7:50 pm	4:35 pm
Milton and Milton Junction mixed train.....	8:30 am	8:30 pm

### MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART

JANESVILLE MAILS,	ARRIVE,	CLOSE
Chicago, East, West, South-west.....	5:00 am	9:00 am
North and Northwest.....	7:35 am	10:00 am
Chicago, East, North and Northwest.....	9:40 am	12:20 am
Chicago, North, East, West and General.....	12:40 pm	.....
Chicago, East and all points North and West.....	6:00 pm	7:00 pm
Chicago, East, South and Southwest.....	6:00 am	.....
North, Northwest, Etc.....	6:20 pm	7:00 pm
Chicago, East, West and South.....	6:30 am	7:00 pm
Chicago, East, West and South.....	6:30 am	7:00 pm
Johnstown and Richmond, Emerald Grove and Fairfield.....	11:00 am	2:30 pm
.....	7:00 am	6:30 pm

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## LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

## THE OLEOMARGARINE REPORT

Secretary Gage Sends a Detailed Statement to the House.

## CONCERNING ITS INGREDIENTS

Resolution of Mr. Tawney of Minnesota Adversely Reported to the Committee on Ways and Means on Ground That Information Could Not Be Made Public.

Washington, May 15.—The report concerning ingredients used in the manufacture of oleomargarine, which Secretary Gage by resolution was requested to send to the house has been transmitted. The resolution introduced by Mr. Tawney of Minnesota was adversely reported by the committee on ways and means on the ground that the information collected by the internal-revenue bureau from the oleomargarine manufacturers is confidential and could not in justice to them be made public. The house by an overwhelming vote refused to take this view of the matter and passed the resolution. Secretary Gage makes no reference to this point, but merely submits the statement prepared by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Wilson, who shows the quantities and kinds of ingredients used in the production of oleomargarine in the United States as follows:

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1899—

Materials	Pounds.	Percentage to the whole.
Neutral lard.....	31,397,251	34.27
Oleo oil.....	24,491,769	26.82
Cottonseed oil.....	4,357,514	4.77
Sesame.....	436,310	0.53
Coloring matter.....	148,970	0.16
Sugar.....	110,164	0.12
Glycerin.....	8,943	0.01
Stearin.....	5,890	0.007
Glucose.....	2,563	0.003
Milk.....	14,200,576	15.55
Salt.....	6,773,670	7.42
Butter oil.....	4,342,904	4.76
Butter.....	1,568,319	1.72
Totals.....	91,322,260	100.00

During the month of December, 1899—

Materials	Pounds.	Percentage to the whole.
Neutral lard.....	3,735,777	31.88
Oleo oil.....	3,369,085	28.84
Cottonseed oil.....	511,157	4.34
Color.....	21,753	0.19
Sesame.....	50,500	0.43
Sugar.....	14,111	0.12
Stearin.....	12,705	0.10
Glycerin.....	1,212	0.01
Glucose.....	2,940	0.02
Butter.....	106,130	0.90
Salt.....	800,156	6.81
Milk.....	1,839,467	16.13
Butter oil.....	727,062	6.20
Cream.....	471,688	4.02
Totals.....	11,713,743	100.00

No itemized statement showing the ingredients used by each manufacturer was submitted, and for this reason the statement is not satisfactory to some of the more ardent opponents of oleomargarine. They had hoped to secure from the files of the department data concerning the operations of the different "factories," as they believed in the first place that it would decrease the demand for oleomargarine, and in the second place that it might show that the internal revenue bureau had been lax in the enforcement of the law.

## Senate Passes the Naval Bill.

Washington, May 15.—After a discussion lasting five full days the senate passed the naval appropriation bill. The secretary of the navy is authorized to procure armor of the best quality at \$445 per ton, but if he is unable to obtain it at that price he is then authorized to pay \$545 per ton for the armor for the battleships Maine, Ohio and Missouri, and to proceed to erect an armor factory to cost not to exceed \$4,000,000, one-half of which amount is made immediately available. The committee's proposition carried by a vote of 22 to 19.

The secretary of the navy is directed to purchase five Holland torpedo boats at a price not exceeding \$170,000 each.

## Free Homes Bill Passed.

Just before adjournment Mr. Nelson of Minnesota called up the "free homes" bill, and it was passed without a word of debate. Representative Flynn of Oklahoma, who has been a warm champion of the measure, was present when the bill passed and cordially congratulated Senator Nelson.

## General Deficiency Bill Passed.

The house passed the general deficiency appropriation bill, and the military academy bill—the last of the supply bills—will follow it tomorrow. The deficiency bill carried \$3,839,021 and was passed substantially without amendment. The feature of the general debate was a severe arraignment of the administration by Mr. De Armond (Mo.).

## Increase in Exports \$30,000,000.

Washington, May 15.—The April statement of the imports and exports of the United States shows as follows: Merchandise, imports, \$75,466,742, of which \$33,445,027 were free of duty. Total increase over April, 1899, \$10,000,000.

## CHANGE FOR THE CANAL BILL.

Favorable Report Ordered by the Senate Committee.

Washington, May 15.—Senator Morgan, representing the committee on inter-oceanic communication, made a favorable report to the senate on the Nicaragua canal bill. Several amendments proposed by members of the committee were voted down and the house bill will be placed on the senate calendar without a change in its provisions for the protection of the canal. But it is asserted the report of the committee is but an overture to its final disposition at this session. The steering committee of the senate which met informally last week has agreed that the canal bill cannot be taken up at this session. Senator Morgan, nevertheless, announced that he will push a vote on the bill so as to publicly commit the senators who propose to block canal legislation. The vote of Senator McBride of Ogden turned the tide in favor of a report.

## MONDAY'S BASEBALL SCORES.

## National League.

At Chicago—	
Chicago.....	0 0 1 0 2 1 0 0
New York.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Attendance 1,200.	
At Pittsburgh—	
Pittsburgh.....	1 0 0 0 1 0 0 3
Boston.....	0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0
Attendance 2,960.	
At Cincinnati—	
Philadelphia.....	3 1 0 1 0 0 2 0
Cincinnati.....	2 0 0 1 0 0 1 0
Attendance 1,200.	
At St. Louis—	
Brooklyn.....	0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0
St. Louis.....	0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0
Attendance 600.	

## American League.

At Detroit—	
Chicago.....	3 0 0 0 0 2 0 0
Detroit.....	0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0
Attendance 1,800.	
At Indianapolis—	
Indianapolis.....	0 0 4 0 4 2 0 1
Kansas City.....	3 2 0 1 0 0 0 0
Attendance 1,500.	
At Cleveland—	
Cleveland.....	0 0 0 2 3 1 0 0
Minneapolis.....	2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0
Attendance 1,300.	
At Buffalo—	
Buffalo.....	2 0 3 4 0 0 0 1
Milwaukee.....	2 1 0 0 1 3 0 0
Attendance 700.	

## Labor Conventions in Denver.

Denver, Col., May 15.—The annual convention of the Western Federation of Miners and Western Labor union opened here with a public meeting, at which welcoming addresses were delivered. Replies were made by President Edward Boyce of the federation and President Daniel McDonald of the union. The two conventions then met in separate session. A subject which will be acted upon by both conventions is the influx of Japanese laborers into the United States and Canada.

## Wild Ride in a Tornado.

Houston, Texas, May 15.—To be blown more than one-fourth of a mile by a raging tornado is something remarkable, even though the victim were torn all to pieces and killed, but to be blown a quarter of a mile surrounded on all sides by trees, houses, timbers, and all the other debris that a tornado gathers unto itself in its wild flight, carried through the air at seventy miles an hour, and, despite all this, to escape even the slightest bruise or scratch might be called miraculous. That was the experience of Miss Millie Milton in the tornado that passed over parts of Denton county last week. She is recovering.

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## GEN. FRENCH IN PURSUIT.

Boers in Two Sections, Trekking to Heilbron and Lindley.

## VICTORY FOR GEN. BULLER.

Capt. Elworthy Killed—Two Other Officers Taken Prisoners and Twenty-One Men Unaccounted For at Last Reports.

London, May 15.—A dispatch from Kroonstad says that Gen. French, with his cavalry, is pursuing the Boers, who have split into two sections. One section is trekking northeast toward Heilbron, while the other is marching toward Lindley, which is east-southeast of Kroonstad.

A dispatch from Pietermaritzburg, dated May 14, 12:05 p. m., says: "An official telegram from Gen. Buller announcing his success at Biggarsburg was received an hour ago. It is confidently anticipated that Dundee will be occupied today."

The latest dispatches from the front say President Steyn is at Heilbron, which has been proclaimed the new capital of the Orange Free State. The Transvaalers are massing at the Vaal river. The Standard and Digges' News of Johannesburg reports dissensions in the Transvaal volksraad. Railway repairs are progressing rapidly. The town accepts the occupation quietly.

Thaba N'Chu, May 15.—The Eighth division, with its front extending thirty miles, was yesterday moving forward. Gen. Greenfield and Gen. Brabant followed the Boers, reaching Newberry's Mills and capturing great quantities of flour and grain. Gen. Brabant's force, with Campbell's brigade of guards and Gen. Boyes' brigade, have cleared the country. The Boers are splitting up and retiring in the direction of Clocoland.

London, May 15.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts: "Kroonstad, May 15.—There were more casualties in the cavalry division on May 10, but I have been unable to get an exact account of what occurred, as the commanding officer, Capt. Elworthy, was killed. Two officers who were wounded at the same time were sent to the rear, but it appears that a party of our men, while coming up to a kraal on which a white flag had been hoisted were suddenly attacked by a large number of the enemy. Two officers were taken prisoners and twenty-one men are unaccounted for. Some of these may turn up. The cavalry covered a considerable distance on May 10 and the men may have rejoined their commands in the last few days."

## BIG VICTORY FOR BULLER.

Boers Defensive Positions on the Biggarsburg Taken.

London, May 15.—A special dispatch from Stone Hill Farm, Natal says: "General Buller's advance commenced Thursday, when he left Ladysmith in strength. When within two miles of Helpmakaar the Boers opened a heavy artillery fire and the British guns replied, while a portion of Buller's troops worked round the Boer flanks. The British attack was pressed home Sunday. Eetunne, on the right, outflanked the Boers, whose splendid defensive positions on the Biggarsburg were practically taken. General Buller's march subsequent to the attack was carried out without a hitch. The British are still pushing on."

## News from Port Valdes.

Seattle, Wash., May 15.—The transport Rosecrans has arrived from Port Valdes. Six discharged soldiers and Mail Carrier Pratt were her only passengers. The Rosecrans went north with a company of infantry and a cargo of supplies for the Valdes post. Captain Richardson says he found four feet of snow at Valdes. There is much talk at Valdes about the construction of a railway from that point to the Yukon. The post is four and a half miles south of Valdes. A letter from Capt. Abercrombie says there is a strike among laborers in that district, and it may be possible he will be unable to get hay cut. In such case he will have to be supplied from here.

## Killed by His Affiance.

Marshall, Ill., May 15.—Miss Josie Danielson shot and killed Daniel Roe in Seneca. The shooting was an accident. The young woman was handling Roe's revolver, which she supposed was not loaded, when it went off, the ball striking the young man in the forehead, killing him instantly. They were to have been married soon. Miss Danielson is a school teacher, 20 years old, and Roe was 26. He assisted the government engineers in taking a survey of the river, but for several weeks had been working in Chicago. A coroner's jury exonerated the young woman.

## Prison for Bank President.

Boston, Mass., May 15.—In the United States court here today Charles H. Cole, former president of the now defunct Globe national bank of this city, who recently pleaded guilty on several counts of an indictment charging him with misappropriations of funds of the institution, was sentenced to serve eight years in Greenfield jail.

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